BRYAN'S FEAR MANY KILLED IS REMOVED IN COLLISION OUAKER

Abroad by Men Who Honor Their Country.

RECEPTION IN HIS HONOR WIND BLEW OUT RED LIGHTS'

From Receiving the Distinguished American.

(By Associated Press.) BERLIN, Dec. 26.-William J. Bryan was entertained at luncheon to-day by Ambassador Tower, and called on Forelgn Secretary Richthoff.

Finperor William has expressed regrets at the fact that domestic Christmas festivities will prevent him from recelving Mr. Bryan in audience.

About one bundred Ameri . ns and dis-

About one hundred Ameri ens and distinguished Germans were introduced to Mr. Bryan to-day at the reception to the American Chamber of Commerce, given in his honor at the Hotel Bristol. Mr. Bryan, in a speech, said:

"In my meeting with citizens of my country sojourning atroad, I have been rejieved of one of the fears I had in 1893. I was afraid. If I was not elected it might be difficult to find good men outside of the Democratic party to represent the United States abroad, but I have found so many good Americans and Republicans, too, who honor their country in diplomatic and consular positions, that I will go back relieved of oe of my country everywhere."

On his return to the United States, it is suld that Mr. Bryan will advocate a bill et Washington providing that the United States government build houses for its ambarsadors and ministers.

After the reception Mr. Bry e took the night train for Amsterdam. Le will sail for New York Wednesday from Liverroil on board the White Star Line steamer Celtic.

HANDSOME GIFT FOR MR. C. S. WRIGHT

Operators of Chesapeake and Ohio Hold Their Chief Dispatcher in High Esteem.

Mr. C. S. Wright, chief train dispatcher of the Richmond division, Chesapeake and Ohio Railway, was the recipient last night of a handsome service of silver night of a handsome service of sliver from the telegraph operators of the Peninsula, Piedmont and Rivanna divisions and the R.chmond yards. Mr. Wright was taken completey by surprise. About 8:30 Massis, S. G. Meredith, C. D. McGehee and F. F. Fleming called at Mr. Wright's home, on the Boulevard, and before the usually clear headed dispatcher, to whom the handling of great trains, hurrying them along over tracks and preventing delays and collisions is every-day work, knew of it. he was in the midst of the callers, listening sions is every-day work, knew of it, he was in the midst of the callers, listening to a speech from Mr Mered th, which

ent about as follows:
"In behalf of the operators of the Rivanna, Penir sula and Piedmont divi-Rivanna, Penirsula and Pledmont divi-sions and Richmond yards, we desire to extend to you our hearty thanks for the many favors and kindnesses shown us during the past year, and in token of our appreciation wish to present to you this

little Christmas gift.
"We wish you and your family a con-tinuance of prosperity for the new

Mr. Wright's response was nearly in

"This gift catches me quite by surprise.
I am gratified to know that I am held such high esteem by the operators of my respective districts and wish to extend through the committee my hearty thanks and appreciation of such a valu-

Wright has been chief dispatche Air, Wright has been chief dispatcher just one year now, but by fairness and considerate treatment of his men has gained their sincere esteom, while his recognized ability and fitness in so many ways for the position challenges their respect and confidence,

PHILLIPS RE-ELECTED.

Chosen Potentate of Acca Temple for a Second Time.

A meeting of Acea Temple, Mystic Shrine, was held last night at the Masonic Temple. This was the annual meeting for the election of officers.
City Treasurer C. H. Phillips, the present potentate, was re-elected, and will serve another year.
Capiain Phillips has proven to be one

of the most popular of potentates, and he has largely increased the member-ship of the Shrine since he has served

as rotentate.

The meeting was largely attended.

FINE NUMBERS TO BE RENDERED AT ALMSHOUSE

The Christmas entertainment to-morrow evening at the Almsheuse bids fair to be most enjoyable. In addition to the excellent numbers on the programme herotofore printed. Mrs. George H. Richardson will sing a solo, the old Centenary quartette, consisting of Mrs. Glowes and Mr. Oscar Lohman, will sing, and there will be a violin duet by Mr. Moses Stein and Miss Rachel Billicopt.

He Finds America Represented Two Fast Passenger Trains Demolish Each Other Near Grand Rapids.

Emperor William Prevented This Brought the Trains, Crowded With Holiday Travel, Together on Grade Curve.

> (By Associated Press.)
> GRAND RAPIDS, MICH., Dec. 26.—Seventeen persons are dead and thirty-one injured, several of them fatally, as the result of the collision early this evening of two passenger trains on the Pere Marquette Railroad, one-half mile west of East Paris, and six miles east of this

The collision, which was head-on, was caused, according to a statement issued by the officials of the road at the general offices in Detroit, by the high wind blowing out the red signal lamp at McCord's, where the west-bound train, No. 5, should

where the west-bound train, No. 5, should have stopped and received orders to pas the east-bound train at Fox. The officials deny a report that a misunderstanding of orders on the part of one of the enginees was responsible for the collision.

According to the statement of the officials, the trains were originally to have met and passed at Cakdale Park, but to help the east-bound train the dispatcher issued new orders, fixing Fox as the meeting place. The east-bound train received its orders to this effect, and the west-bound should have received this order at McCord's, Instead it rushed by this der at McCord's. Instead it rushed by this der at McCord's, Instead it rushed by the station, and the operator there, after reporting this fact, found on going out to the platform that his red signal lamb, which had been burning two miru'es before, was out, presumably extinguithed by the high wind that was blowing.

The willed:

ENCLINEER CHARLES A. STOD-

ENGINEER CHARLES A. STOD WILLIAM HELM RICH, Grand Rapids, CHARLES A. DEVINR, Grand Rapids, WILLIAM SMITH, farmer, near Sarana, a Mich

na, Mich.

ALLEN H, WELLS, Big Rapids, Mich.

PETER, WIERENGO, Grand Rapids.

Seven unidentified bodies of men.

Two women and a boy unidentified.

Fireman Ed. Burns, missing and supported to be under the wreck.

The injured were all Michigan people.

Mot. With Crash

Met With Crash.

The tra'ns met with a terrific crash, the baggage and smoking cars behind

the baggage and smoking cars behind each locomotive being instantly reduced to a pile of kindling wood. The engines were completely wrecked, the boiler of that which had pulled the east-bound train being torn completely from the running gear and standing perpendicularly in a ditch at the side of the track.

Engineer Frank Waterman, who survived the catastrophe, says he and his fireman E. B. Moon, were caucht like rats in a true. He says he never saw the east-bound train. The crash and the moans of the intured were heard by rear-by farmers, who rushed to the scene to lend as letting. No person occurving cars other than the baggage and smoking cars, with a very few exceptions was seriously injured.

The Work of Rescue.

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Within two minutes the uninjured male passengers and those of the train crews who were not turn, had begun the work of rescue. Traveling Agent Frank Hewitt, of the Pere Marquette, who was on the train bound for Detroit and who escared with slight injuries, ran to the nearest telegraph office and telegraphed for a whocking train and surgeons. Guided by mone and cres from the wrocked cars, the rescuers, by the light of lanterns, delved into the wrocked and with fence rain and imbers for levers, pried out the sufferers. A succial train bearing surgeons and officials was made up here immediately after the mean was received and arrived at the wreck at 7:15 o'clock.

Those of the injured who had been extricated were immediately taken into the train and given opportunity and the officials joined in the rescue work. When all the infured had been taken out of the wreck the bosnital train was rushed back to Grand Rapids, where ambulances were in waitine to carry them to hospitals, where all arrangements had been made for their reception. The uninjured passengers were also brought back here.

More Bedies Found.

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DETRO T. MICH., Dec. 28.— A special train has hist left the scere of the wreck with eigh more unidentified bodies, five men, two women and a boy. This makes the total number of bodies recovered seventeen. Fireman Burns who is missing, may be among the deed on this train:

DUE TO HIGH WIND.

Blew Out Red Lights in the Sig-

Blew Out Red Lights in the Signal Board at McCord's.

(Br. **seelateo) Frees.

DETROL, MicH., Dec. 26.—The official statement issued at the general offices of the Pere Marquette Railroad here, declares that the high wind was responsible for the wreck by blowing out the red light in the rignal board at McCord's, which was put out to stop the west-bound train. The statement says:

Both trains had orders to meet at Oakdale Park, but as the west-bound train was not doing as well as was expected, the orders were changed. The trains vere then ordered to meet and pass at Fox the first crossing east of Oakdale Park. The east-bound train got the new orders in Ninth Avenue, in Grand Rapids, and the operator at McCord's, where the west-bound train was to receive its or-

Winners of GELATINE PRIZES.

\$200 in Cash Distributed Among

Users of Quaker . Gelatine.

Watch Tuesday's and Thursday's paper for other prizes offered for January, February and March.

The manufacturers of the celebrated

The manufacturers of the celebrated Quaker Gelatine offered on November 8th, through their agents, Mesres. Kelley and Dudley, Nos. 1009 and 1011 East Cary Street, Richmond, Va., 1200 in cash, to be divided among the persons sending in the largest number of Quaker Gelatine coupons by December 19, 1203, and the first prize of 3100 was captured by Mr. Henry Snelling, No. 1122 Bainbridge Street, Manchester, Va., who sent in 1,206 coupons. The other prizes were as follows: S. P. Stewart, No. 615 North Second Street, Richmond, 652 coupons—second prize, 130; Ben Dominica, No. 192) Broad Street, Richmond, 601 coupons—feurth prize, 815; Linwood Rowlett, No. 704 West Clay Street, Righmond, 600 coupons—feurth prize, 85; Mnn.e Pollard, No. 603 North Twenty-six h Street, Richmond, 500 coupons—feurth prize, 151 Linwood Rowlett, No. 704 West Clay Street, Righmond, 600 coupons—feurth prize, 85; Mnn.e Pollard, No. 603 North Twenty-six h Street, Richmond, 5.0 coupons, 12.50; Kathleen Alsop, No. 811 1-2 Hull Street, Manchester, 460 coupons, 12.51; Mrs. 8 A Peek, No. 2718 East Mar-Street, Richmond, S.O. coupons, \$2.53; Kathleen Alsop, No. pil 1-2 Hull Street, Manchester, 460 coupons, \$2.55; Mrs. S. A. Peek, No. 2718 East Marshall Street, Richmond, 435 coupons, \$2.59; J. O. Sale, Sr., No. 712 Clay Street, Richmond, 241 coupons, \$2.51; Ellen James, No. 112 West Marshall Street, Richmond, 241 coupons, \$2.51; Lily Hollzhauer, No. 403 Leigh S.reet, Richmond, 92 coupons, \$2.51; Mrs. Virginia Walsak, No. 210 East Marshall Street, Richmond, 124 coupons, \$2.51; Walter Allen, No. 713 North Fourth Street, Richmond, 75 coupons, \$2.53; Annis Ennis, Littlepage and Balser Streets, Richmond, 76 coupons, \$2.54; Annis Ennis, Littlepage and Balser Streets, Richmond, 70 coupons, \$2.54; Hazel Browning, No. 514 South Pinew Street, Richmond, 70 coupons, \$2.54; Hazel Browning, No. 514 South Pinew Street, Richmond, 52 coupons, \$2.54; Walter Allen, No. 1108 Marshall Street, Richmond, 52 coupons, \$2.54; Walter No. 1108 Marshall Street, Richmond, 53 coupons, \$2.55; R. Moesta, No. 117 Main Street, Richmond, 52 coupons, \$2.55; R. Moesta, No. 117 Main Street, Richmond, 52 coupons, \$2.55; R. Moesta, No. 117 Main Street, Richmond, 52 coupons, \$2.55; R. Moesta, No. 117 Main Street, Richmond, 52 coupons, \$2.55; R. Moesta, No. 117 Main Street, Richmond, 52 coupons, \$2.55; R. Moesta, No. 117, North, Eighth Street, R. Chmond, 32 coupons, \$2.55; Iral Pettus, No. 417, North, Eighth Street, R. Chmond, 32 coupons, \$2.55; Edith Muriay, No. 1030 West Cary Street, Richmond, 52 coupons, \$2.55; Edith Muriay, No. 1030 West Cary Street, Richmond, 52 coupons, \$2.55; Edith Muriay, No. 1030 West Cary Street, Richmond, 52 coupons, \$2.55; Edith Muriay, No. 1030 West Cary Street, Richmond, 52 coupons, \$2.55; Edith Muriay, No. 1030 West Cary Street, Richmond, 53 coupons, \$2.55; Edith Muriay, No. 1030 West Cary Street, Richmond, 53 coupons, \$2.55; Edith Muriay, No. 1030 West Cary Street, Richmond, 53 coupons, \$2.55; Edith Muriay, No. 1030 West Cary Street, Richmond, 53 coupons, \$2.55; Edith Muriay, No. 1030 West Cary Street, Richmond, 53 coupo

February and anter to deduce a the coupons, a notice of which will appear in Tuesday's and Thursday's paper of this week.

Quaker Gelatine is sold by every enterprising grocer in Richmond and Manchester, and the child who wishes a prize should begin work at once selling Quaker Gelatine to friends and relatives.

AND SAVE THE COUPONS.

ders, put out his red signal on the order-toard. The west-bound train came along and ran by the signal. The McCord's operator immediately reported this to the triin dispatcher and then went imme-diately to his signal board, where he found that the light was out. The light was burning and showing red two min-utes before the train west-bound came along. The high winds, however, blew it out in that short time."

EDDIE GRANEY CHOSEN TO REFEREE FIGHT

(By Associated Press.)
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., Dec. 26.—Eddle Graney was to-night selected to referre the fight next Tuesday night between Young Corbett and Eddio Hanlon Hanlon announced positively to-day that Hanlon announced positively to-day that he would not fight if Grancy was se-lected as the referen. Corbett's choice was Grancy or Harry Corbett, but the latter declared to sprve. A meeting latter declined to sprve. A meeting was held to-night and Young Corbett an nounced that it was either Graney or no fight, and, after some argument, Han-lon's backers consented to allow Graney to serve.

WORK OF POLICE.

Nathaniel Price Charged With Beating Virginia Johnson.

Nathaniel Price is locked up at the First Station on the charge of beating

First Station on the charge of beating Virginia Johnson.

Bob Black is under arrest on the allegation that he took a lot of tobacce belonging to M. B. Neeman.

John Bush was arrested because it was said that he took an overcoat at the Southern depot belonging to James R. Lipscomb.

Minnie Johnson is locked up at the Second Station on the charge of assaulting Namue Brooks with a stick.

Second Station on the charge of as ing Nannie Brooks with a stick.

THEY WORK WHILE YOU SLEEP

ANNUAL SALE—TEN MILLION BOXES Greatest In the World

A MILLION ROMPING, ROYSTERING AMERICAN BOYS, the kind that eat too much ple whenever they get a chance, know that there's a sweet little fragrant medicine tablet—a pleasure to eat it—that cures that torture of childhood—SMALL BOYS' COLIO. Sometimes the little girls get it too—but OASCARETS Candy Cathartio, the perfect bowel and liver medicine and priventive of childhood's aliments, keep the children's stomachs and systems always in perfectly healthy condition. Wise mothers always keep a box handy in the house. All druggists, 10c, 25c, 50c. Be sure, you get the genuine—each tablet marked COC. Sample and books let free. Address Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or New York. A MILLION ROMPING, ROYSTERING AMERICAN BOYS, the

Contest for Congressional Honors in Some Districts Will be Lively.

THOSE TO HAVE OPPOSITION

In the Ninth and Tenth Districts There Are Sure to be Great Struggles.

Alrendy the indications are that there is going to be some lively political contests in the State next fall, with the Democratic nominations for Congress as the prizes to be striven for: In at least three districts there is going to be a struggle for Democratic nominations, and there may be in others. Mr. Jones, in the First District, will probably have no opposition, and so far as yet known. Mr. Maynard, in the Second, may have easy sailing. Captain Lamb, in the Third, is likely to have opposition with Commonwealth's Attorney D. C. Richardson mentioned as his next probable opponent. In the Fourth District Mr. Southail may be upposed; though no one has been suggisted yet as likely to make the race. Mr. Lassiter, his prefecessor, may be induced to make the race for his old place. Among the well known men in the district looked upon as good congressional timber are Hun, R. B. Davis, of Petersburg; Hon, A. D. Watkins, of Prince Edward; Hon, Robert Turnbuil, of Brunswick; Judge W. H. Mann, of Nottoway, and others. It is not announced that any of these are or will be candi-

In the Fifth District Mr. Swanson is not likely to have opposition for reno nation, and would probably win o any man who might aspire. He m nation, and would probably win over any man who might aspire. He may have Republican opposition in the general election, the district being none too sure with a strong Republican county and close ones like Patrick, Carroll and Gray-sen beluded.

in the Sixth District Hon, Carter Glass is not likely to have opposition for the nomination, nor formidable opposition

is not likely to have opposition for the nomination, nor formidable opposition for re-election.

In the Seventh District Mr. Hay is probably sure of renomination without appetition. In the Eighth Mr. Rixey is likely to have a race to run for the honor. Several gentlemen have been suggested as probable sightrants. Speaker John F. Ryan, of the House of Delegates, lias been mentioned as an available man for the congressional nomination.

In the Ninth District, now represented by a Republican, Hon. J. C. Wysor, of Pullarki, is already out for the honor, Judge William F. Rhen may again enter the race, though no formal announcement of such intention has been made. It matters little whom the Democratis name, he will have a hard fight to win in the district which is Republican almost always in recent years.

In the Tenth District Mr. Flood is likely to have a hot fight on his hands, but he is a fighter who never fears a context and will give a good account of illused. The section west of the mountains is now clamorous for the nomination Ex-Congressman J. M. Quarles, State Senator John N. Ople and even ex-Congressman H. St. George Tucker have been mentloned as probable aspirants. With the field much divided the remomination of Mr. Flood will be assured.

The Congressmen generally prefer the primary plan of making nominations, for the reason that it permits minorily nominations, and with more than two needs of the reason that it permits minorily nominations, and with more than two needs in the reace the incumbent can generally win every time. In a square fight heleven two candidates, the incumbent has no great advantage, but with three or four he has his opponents under a highly handleap.

BURN NEGRO IN FLAMES OF OIL

Other Citizens Demand That a Much More Orderly Trial be Held.

(By Associated Press.)
PINEAPPLE, ALA. Dec. 28.—In their
efforts to hide the lynching of Arthur

in the crime.

It is, learned that on Wednesday P. Melton, a prom'nent young white man, and a quarrel with some negroes, and one of them shot him. Christmas Day a negro was arrested and placed in jail, charged with shooting Melton, and the friends of Melton, it is alleged, swore vengeance. This morning at 4 o'clock a mob broke in the full, and after knocking the negro in the head noured kerosene over his body and set it aftire. The flames quickly pread to adjo'ning buildings. The excitement continues intense

flames quickly spread to adjoining buildings. The excitement continues intense to-night.

The citizens in mass meeting to-day, passed a resolution requiring the immediate presence of Solicitor Quaries and a special term of court, to try members of the mob who will be arrested. A committee want to Selma to-night and had a consultation with Council Quaries. A special term will probably be ordered.

CORONER TAYLOR MISSES USUAL CHRISTMAS INQUEST

For the first time in four years Coroner Taylor has not and to sit in inquisition over the body of some one killed Christmas day. Usually there is a homic de or an accidental killing every year at a time, when so many people are drinking or amusing themselves with explosives or firearms. This year has been remarkable in the paucity and triviality of Christmas accidents and in the excellent order maintained.

Virginia Postmasters. WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 26,—The following fourth-class postmasters were at pointed to-uay;
Virginia—Balham, Mrs. Sallis M. Brook-irg; Harless, Grace E. Epperly; Wilcox Wharf, Thomas N. Hubbard.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Edmonia S. Johnston.

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Mrs. Edmond Sinton Johnston, widow of Mr. Thomas Johnston, died at her residence. "The Grove." near Young's Pond, yesterday morning at 10 o'clock.

Mrs. Johnston was about seventy years of age, and was widely known in Richmond and vicinity, where her people on both sides have been prominent in business for many years. She had been aich but a very short time.

Mrs. Johnston was a daughter of the

CONTESTS TO THREE GENERATIONS PRAISE PE-RU-NA. BE FIERCE The Hausehold For All Catarrhal Ills.

A Grandmothere' Letter.

Mrs. S. L., Tinker, No. 519 Second Street, Macon, Ga., writes:
"Two years ago my grandson suffered with hemorrhages of the bowels, and he was treated by different doctors, but without cure. We quit all other treatment and began to use Perina, and after the use of three bottles, he seemed to be quite well. He is now able to walk six miles to school every day."—Mrs. S. L. Tinker.



had lots of sickness, so much that I have had lots of sickness, so much that I have hearned to love some doctors and some I don't want to see. But Peruna is the medicine for me. I have never gone to school much on account of being slok. I have had chilir and billous fever, pneumonia, and last and worst of all, typhold pneumonia. I couldn't move one bit, nor a Contact of the state pneumonia. I couldn't move one bit, nor neumonia. I couldn't move one bit, nor liear a thing. My mamma and good doctor gave me Peruna. I have been stouter gave me Peruna. I have been stouter er ever since, and mended faster than any one else who had the fever. Our friends all said that I would de, but I am here yet, and can hear very good. My mamma can write you more."—Ila P. Foster.

The following is a short quotation from a letter written by the mother:

"Our little girl bega us to let her send you a letter, It is one of her own writing. My husband's abscess is healed, thanks to your advice. Peruna did me more good than anything I ever tried. I

"Our little girl bega us to let her send you a letter. It is one of her own writing. My husband's abscess is healed, thanks to your advice. Peruna did me more good than anything I ever tried. I recommend it to all my friends."—Olive C. Foster, Window Cliffs, Tenn.

Medical Advice for Old and Young.

Everybody writes to Dr. Hartman for medical advice. Grandmothers when they meet some difficulty that the family physician can-not overcome.

not overcome.

Mothers write when something happens in the household that baffles their skill, and about which the doctor does not seem quite clear.

Even the children write to Dr. Hart-

cases.

These letters are carefully answered by confidential clerks and assistant physicians. Of course, there are so many of them that it would not be possible for Dr. Hartman to see them all, but whenever such a lettr comes it receives careful attention, and an answer that is sometimes vastly more valuable than many visits from the doctor, or much money spent in drugs.

Congressman George H. White, of Tartoro, N. C., writes the following letter to Dr. Hartman:

oro, N. C., writes the following letter to Dr. Hartman:

"I am more than satisfied with Peruna, and find it to be an excellent remedy for the grip and catarrh. I have used it in my family and they all join me in recommending it as an excellent remedy."—(reorge H. White.

once used in the family Peruna always stays. It is an internal, scientific, systemic remedy for catarrh and all catarrhal diseases.

A Granddaughter's Letter.

Dr. S. B. Hartman: "I am a little girl, just nine years old to-day. But I have had lots of slokness, so much that I have had lots of slokness had lots A Grateful Mother.

Ask Your Druggist for free Pe-ru-na Almanac for 1904.

late Joseph Sinton, who years ago owned and operated a large nursery hear Richmond. She was an estimable lady, and was widely known and loved fin Richmond and Henrico. Her husband, the late Thomas Johnston, was for many years a member of the firm of West, Johnston & Co., booksellers and stationers, of this city.

We find it of great value when my band becomes worn out or catches A couple of doses cures him. If the

has colle or any stomach disorder, and two cures her. I consider Peruna

than any doctor's medicine i ever tr and I know that as long as we have in the house we will be able to keep good health."—Mrs. Thresa Rocke,

A Husband's Letter. Mr. Otto Nehring, Box 54, Perry, Tex

es, writes: "I take pleasure in informing

you that Persna has made everything all right. All the doctoring we did was of no use, but Peruna has completely cured my wife. She now feels than ever before. We shall do all

to recommend Peruna. You are at 11b

has accomplished a cure where all doc tors have falled. Many thanks to Dr Hartman. You can add one more cur-

to the already large number who have been cured by Peruna."—Otto Nehring. Peruna protects the family against coughs, colds, catarrh, bronchitis, catarrh of the stomach, liver and kidneys. It is

She is survived by two sons, Mr. Jos-ph H. Johnston, of Henrico county, and Mr. Charles P. Johnston, of St. Paul,

Mr. Charles P. Johnston, of St. Paul, Minn.

The funeral will take place from the residence this afternoon at 4 o'clock and the interment will be in the family burying ground at "The Grove."

The pall-benrers will consist of the following:

Active-Messrs. Harry Conquitt, William Morrison, John Mordecal, J. Stewart Bryan, Robert Beattle and H. C. Benttle, Honorary-Messrs. John F. Mayer, Joseph M. Skinner, Joseph Bryan, T. Crawford Redd, James Sinton, H. H. Clarke, John P. Word and W. Deane Meanley.

Miss Rosa Schaffer.

efforts to hide the lynching of Arthur Stewart, a colored prisoner whom they secured from the local jail here last night, a mob is thought to have set free to the jail, which was destroyed, together with eight stores, two warehouses and the postoffice. The loss is \$15,000.

Citizens of this town are indignant, and have deposited with a local bank offers of rewards amounting to \$1,000 for the arrest of the persons who participated in the crime.

Mr. Giffert and wife accompanied the lad become acquainted.

Mr. Giffert and wife accompanied the Mr. Giffert and wife accompanied the remains to her home in Salem, Ohio, where the funeral will take place.

W. L. Beale.

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

FREDERICKSBURG, VA., Dec. 26.—

Mr. W. L. Beale, a well-known and aged
citizen, of Stafford county, died at the
home of his son-in-law, Mr. S. W. Coakley, in that county of general deblity aged
cighty years. He is survived by four
cillidren, Mrs. D. W. Coakley, of Stafford;
Mrs. R. B. Bittle, of Baltimore; John EPeale, of Stafford and George W. Beale,
of Philadelphia.

Mrs. Sarah Hamilton.

Mrs. Saran Hamilton.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WINCHESTIER, VA., Dece. ber 26,—
Mrs. Sarah Hamilton died at her home,
near Kernstown, Christmas Eve. She was
seventy years of age. Her husband. J.
R. Hamilton, and two sons and four
daughters survive-Frank, of Berryvlie
Va.; William, of Texas; Mrs. Jacob Bowers, of Pennsylvania; Mrs. Minor Dean,
of Mount Crawford, Va.; Mrs. Carson
Kayser and Mrs. Jacob Motz, of this
county. Robert S. Adams.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
RECTORTOWN, VA., December 26.—
Mr. Robert S. Adams, sonior member of
the firm of the Adams-Downing Company, retail merchants, and one of our
most prominent citizens, died suddenly
Christmas Eve of acute indigestion.
He was a prominent Mason, and leaves

Woodward & Sen, Lumber

Hardwoods, Mahogany White Pine, Yellow Pine, Rough and Dressed. California Redwood

Yards Covering Seven Acres. Main Office: Ninth & Arch Streets. Richmond, Virginia.

SHINGLES.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
PETERSBURG, VA., December 26.—Mr.
John Pearson Baxter, aged forty-six
years, died last evening after a lingering illness. He is survived by a wife
and four children; also two brothers—
Messrs, W. H. and A. Wesley Baxter,
Mrs. J. M. Crowell.
(Special to The Times Dispatch.)

Mrs J. M. Crowell.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

BRISTOL, VA., Dec. 24.—Mrs. John M.
Crowell, seventy years of age, one of the
wealthlest women in Bristol, owner of
several business blocks and a prominent
member of the Christian Church. dt.d.
suddenly this afternoon of hemorrhage.
Mrs. Crowell was the whodw of a successful contractor and is survived by six
grown children, all residing here.

Mrs. Susan Sanger

Mrs. Susan Sanger. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.)
STAUNTON, VA., December 26.—Mrs.
Susan Sanger, widow of Joel Sanger,
dled near the city, yesterday, aged sixtyfive years. She is survived by two sons
and one daughter.

IN MEMORIAM.

John Nunn Heflebower. John Nunn Heftebower.

John Nunn Heftebower died at Marshall,
Fauquier county, Va., where thirty-eight
years before he had answered the last
roll-call of the Southern Confederacy, on
September 30, 1903, in the fifty-seventh
year of his age.

I had hoped to see a tribute from an
able pen to the memory of my old comrode in arms and schoolmate. For it
does not seem meet that, after the gallent fight which beside in life's bestian

a widow and three children—Mrs. J. Y. Brown, of Luray; Mrs. W. K. Adams, of Luray; And Mrs. George S. Adams, of this place.

Mrs. Elizabeth Anderson.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

WINCHESTER, VA., Dec. 26.—After being in delifeate health for several years, Mrs. Elizabeth Anderson, a widow of the late Charles W. Anderson, a prominent contractor, died this ovening at the horn of her son, Edward Anderson, a word mention contractor, died this ovening at the horn of her son, Edward Anderson, a lord mention of the sound of the sou

Leesburg, Va.

DEATHS.

BUTLER.—Died, at his residence, 116 Graham Street, at 4 A. M., December 24th ADDRAW M. BUTLER, aged forty-dine years. Funeral from Fulton Eaptlet Church SUN-DAY at 3 P. M.

DUKE.—Died, at his residence, on Chest-nut Hill, December 25, 1903, ROBERT E. DUKE. Interment private in Hollywood. No flowers.

FOWLKES-RICHARDSON.—Married, on De-cember 23, 1913, at St. James M. E. parsonays. Miss LEE RICHARDSON to Mr. WILLIAM T. FOWLKES, of Chesterdeid count.

GRESHAM.—Died, at her home, on Chestaut Hill, 3 o'clock A. M., December Path, Mrs., MARGARET R. GRESHAM, wife C. the lat-John H. Gresham. Fineral from Grace-Street Baptirt Church THIS (Sunday) AFTERNOON at 2 o'clock.

JOHNSTON,-Died, at her residence, in Hen-rica county, Va., EDMONIA SINTUN, witow of the late Thomas Johnston, Funeral from residence at i P. M. TO-DAY.

NEALE - Died. December 28th, 1262, at residence. No. 515 N. First Street, Mrs. ROSA-LIE E. NEALE, in the fitt-sevenin y are of her age, she leaves a busheand and four children to mourn theilors. The fitter of the fitter from No. 1 West Clay Sirvi THIS (Sunday) AFTERNOON as a clock No.